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1. Since 20 October 1950 Soviet troops have been moved up the Danube River by convoys of barges. These barge convoys, which transport troops, weapons, and supplies, generally move at night. Weapons which include tanks, are covered with tarpaulins. Some of the barges transport horses for the use of Soviet troops.
2. At Galati and other Danube ports, strict measures have been taken to prevent the population from observing these troop movements. Access to the river bank is forbidden.
3. These Soviet troops and weapons are being moved in the direction of Bulgaria. During December 1950 it was noted that this traffic had increased.

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